

SOCIETY

Automobile parties around the island are still as popular as ever and a stop for lunch or dinner at the Haleiwa Hotel and then back to Honolulu in the afternoon or by moonlight is quite the vogue. Last Sunday five big touring cars made the trip. In Mr. George Thielens party were Miss Marion Scott, Miss Margaret White, Miss Madeline White, C. D. White, J. N. White, Mr. P. W. Sweet and friends from Honolulu made up another pleasant party, comprising Mr. and Mrs. Burrell, Mrs. B. Hough, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Harris, H. H. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Sweet. They returned to town by moonlight.

Miss Irmgard Macfarlane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Macfarlane, and Major George C. Potter will be married Monday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Macfarlane, Punahou street. The ceremony will take place at 9 o'clock and Father Valentin will officiate. The bride will be attended by her sister, Miss Helen Macfarlane, and the groom is to be served by Acting Governor A. L. C. Atkinson. The wedding will be private and will be witnessed by only the family and close friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. R. King leave on the Sherman on a visit to Mr. King's brother, who has lately moved from the East to Monrovia, near Los Angeles, where he has bought an orange orchard. Mr. King has been bookkeeper in the Territorial Auditing Department for the past eight years, this being his second vacation in that time, the former one having been taken just four years ago. They are to return to Honolulu about the middle of June, and in the meantime will take in the "Floral Fiesta" in Los Angeles in May, as well as all points of interest in Southern California.

The British Consul and Mrs. Layard and friends will leave for Haleiwa tomorrow to spend a few days.

Count Canavaro and Dr. Taylor are in the convalescent stage, as is also Mr. John Bliss.

Captain Sayce and nephew, Donald MacAllister, are now staying at the Hawaiian Hotel.

The Pacific Rebekah Lodge will give a dance at Progress Hall on April 21. The Rebekah dances are always enjoyable and being an after-Lent affair will be largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Whitehouse, Mr. Bell and Mr. Haneberg were the dinner guests of Mr. August Haneberg on Sunday evening at the Alexander Young Hotel.

On Friday evening Ralph A. Lyon was guest of honor at a stag dinner given by a number of his friends in a private dining-room in the Royal Hawaiian Hotel. Those present, in addition to the guest of honor, were Messrs. A. J. Lyon, J. T. Crawley, C. Owen, C. Schwartz, W. D. Adams, J. T. Warren and W. L. Warren. The table was artistically decorated with white marguerites and greens, with a boutonniere of pansies and maidenhair fern at each cover. On each place-card was a picture of a lion. The affair was in the nature of a farewell to Mr. Lyon's bachelor days, as on Monday, April 18, Mr. Lyon and Miss Marie Nalani Jones are to be united in marriage. The ceremony will be quiet, and only intimate friends of the bride and groom will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cohn announce the engagement of their daughter, Nellie, to Nathan J. Feibush. Miss Cohn is a member of the class of 1908, University of California, but she will give up her college work to be married next July. Mr. Feibush was graduated from the University of California in the class of '02. Miss Cohn will journey to Honolulu to meet her fiancé, the wedding taking place immediately after her arrival. Mr. Feibush is chemist for the Honolulu Sugar Plantation.—Chronicle.

The engagement at New York of Miss Emma Kaufmann to Mr. Arnold W. Bruner of the metropolis is announced. The bride-to-be is a sister of Miss Jessie Kaufmann, formerly of Honolulu.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Knudsen departed Tuesday for Kauai.

Mrs. A. M. Brown departed on the China for San Francisco on Friday. She will be the guest of Captain and Mrs. Matson for about three months.

Judge and Mrs. F. M. Hatch gave a dinner party at Washington, D. C., recently, and among the guests were Senator and Mrs. Clarke, Senator and Mrs. Dillingham, Representative and Mrs. Hamilton, Justice and Mrs. Stafford and Messrs. Harold and Oscar Sewall.

On Sunday evening Mr. S. M. Ballou gave a dinner party at Sans Souci, among his guests being Judge and Mrs. Dole, Mrs. Belven and Miss Sullivan of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Knudsen, Miss Gay, Dr. Walter Maxwell, Captain Sayce, Donald MacAllister and James Dole.

The Cooper bungalow on Tantalus was the rendezvous on Sunday for a large party of congenial guests of Mr. L. E. Pinkham. It was an outing given in honor of Mr. Pinkham's niece, Miss Nelmore. A picnic lunch was enjoyed. Among the guests were Dr.



Great interest is being taken by the musical people of Honolulu as it is a rare occasion when artists of such caliber as the Marquards visit us. The program will contain Sarasate's Faust fantasia for violin. Prelude and fugue by Bach, violin alone; harp solos, chants 'seraphic' by Zabel and mazurka brillante by Schuecker. Miss Marx will sing Gounod's famous 'Ave Maria' with violin and harp and two songs to be selected. There will be duets for violin and harp. 'Arioso' by

and Mrs. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Benson, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Marston Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Mannie Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Peters, Dr. and Mrs. Wayson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Hocking, Miss Florence Hoffmann, Captain and Mrs. Humphrey, Miss Juanita Humphrey, Captain and Mrs. Ingram, Capt. Heidt, Dr. Brinkerhoff and Mr. I. Dillingham. Several of the army people remained at the bungalow for several days during the week.

Admiral and Mrs. Henry W. Lyon are stopping at Haleiwa, having gone there Friday. They will return to town tomorrow.

Mrs. A. G. Hawes is out again after a long siege of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fairchild of Kauai are visiting in town.

Mrs. E. D. Tenney is again planning to make a trip to the Coast. She will probably remain all summer and will be accompanied by her daughter, Wilhelmnia, and sister, Mrs. Noonan.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dunn announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillie Emma, to Mr. Roy A. Woodward of Pearl City. The wedding will take place in May.

Mrs. C. E. Camp, Mrs. W. L. Emory, Mrs. C. G. Owens are spending a week at Haleiwa.

Mrs. Charles Bebb of Seattle returned to town after a delightful week at the 'House Beautiful,' and Mrs. Henry Bixby and son returned from a three weeks' visit there.

On Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Beardslee made an auto tour of the island. With them were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown. The party had a special dinner served them in the private dining room at Haleiwa, which was beautifully decorated. Pinks lined the walls, while maidenhair ferns covered the table, on which were also numerous half-blown roses, with here and there attractive groupings of violets. The party left Haleiwa about 9 p. m.

Until the sailing of the steamer Rosecrans to the Coast, probably Tuesday or Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Beardslee will be at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel.

April 26 is the date chosen for the wedding of Miss Alice Jones and Mr. A. Lewis, Jr. The ceremony will be private and will take place at the Jones residence on Kuakini road.

Owing to illness of her mother, Mrs. Salcedo, Mrs. Paul has gone to Mexico and did not await the arrival of the Fockes at San Francisco. Mrs. Salcedo has had a stroke of paralysis.

At last reports Mr. and Mrs. William G. Irwin and daughter, Miss Helene Irwin, were at Cairo.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Scott are to occupy one of the Isenberg cottages on Tantalus for a few weeks.

Dr. Grossman departed on the steamship China for San Francisco en route to Los Angeles to attend the Shriner

Godard. 'Bubbling Brook' by Sauret, Vieuxtemps' famous reverie and valse diabolique by Sivori.

Mrs. W. L. Whitney will preside at the piano and we will hear Wagner's prize song from the mastersingers and spinning wheel by Lotta for violin and piano.

Mme. Marquardt's harp on this occasion is the new \$2000 instrument made especially for her in Chicago, where the manufacture of harps has taken big strides since 1893, and these instruments are now being played by all the great harpists in Europe.

conclave. Dr. Grossman represents Aloha Temple of Honolulu. He has some novel surprises for his fellow-Shriners, and has a souvenir, typically Hawaiian, which is to be presented to the chief of the order.

Paymaster and Mrs. Hagner and Mr. and Mrs. Deering were the dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Humphris at the Moana Hotel on Sunday evening.

The engagement of Mr. John C. Anderson, formerly of the faculty of Iolani College and now of Kohala, to Miss Mary Brash has been announced.

General Davis, U. S. A. (retired), is building a bungalow on Tantalus, and Clive Davies is adding to the attraction of the heights' village by erecting a two-story house.

Mrs. F. W. Klamp may leave for Manila shortly to visit with her father, Col. Girard, U. S. A.

On Tuesday evening at the Hawaiian Opera House the concert in aid of the St. Andrew's Cathedral Organ Fund will be given, the program being an exceptionally attractive one. The soloists include Mrs. Charles B. Cooper, Mr. J. H. Stockton, Mr. Gerard Barton, Mrs. L. Tenney Peck. In addition, a special dance will be given by Miss de l'Artigue, the music accompaniment being the intermezzo from the Golden Age waltzes. Miss de l'Artigue, in her short residence in Honolulu, has fascinated several audiences with graceful dances, and her coming appearance will justify her former reputation as an artist.

Gerard Barton will be the conductor of the orchestra. The chorus comprises the following persons: Sopranos—Mrs. C. B. Cooper, Mrs. H. M. von Holt, Mrs. L. Tenney Peck, Mrs. R. D. Walbridge, Miss Ada Rhodes, Miss Bertha Young. Contraltos—Mrs. Clive Davies, Mrs. A. E. Douglas, Mrs. W. A. Kinney, Miss von Holt.

Tenors—Mr. W. D. Barlow, Mr. Philip C. Hall, Mr. H. M. von Holt. Basses—Mr. Walter Beakbane, Mr. Clive Davies, Mr. L. Tenney Peck, Mr. W. L. Stanley.

Mimes—Miss de l'Artigue, Sally Adams, Hilda von Holt, Katherine von Holt, Helen Wilder, Maurice Auger, Closson Emory, Carter Galt, Jack Galt, Ronald von Holt, August Schaefer, Russell Walbridge.

Mr. Fred Alexander departed for Japan on the S. S. Siberia. He will engage in business there with Messrs. J. A. M. Johnson, one of the Walker boys and Arthur Braymer.

As a farewell to his bachelor days, Major George Potter was the guest of honor at a most delightful dinner at the Moana Hotel on Saturday evening. It was one of the liveliest affairs of the kind of this and many past seasons, so it is said. The dinner was given in the private dining room, where the Major was given a royal exit from bachelor joys. In fact, the jollity was so strenuous that the piano was put out of commission. Among those participating in the eventful evening were Acting Governor Atkinson, Messrs. Robert Atkinson, Walter Dillingham, Harold Dillingham, Geo. Fuller, James Wilder, I. Dillingham and Mr. Schultz.

Trousseau

A girl's trousseau to be complete, must have:
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McINERNEY Shoe Store

The Governor and Mrs. Carter were registered at the Raymond Hotel, in Pasadena, California, on April 1. A letter from Mrs. Carter reported that the Governor was regaining his health slowly but surely.

Mrs. Charles B. Cooper gave a luncheon Tuesday for Mrs. George Kimball, who has sailed for the mainland, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Helen Kimball.

Mrs. Alexander Dulsberg and family, accompanied by Mrs. Dulsberg, leave for San Francisco next month to remain some time.

Miss Helene Robson and mother of San Francisco, who are shortly to sail to the Orient, will stop off here for a short visit.

A delightful dinner party was given at the Hawaiian Hotel on Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. MacAlpine of Scotland. There were very handsome floral decorations. Some of the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Hawes, Dr. and Mrs. Humphris, Miss Jessie Forman, Captain Sayce and Prince David Kawanakoa. The MacAlpines departed on the China for the mainland. Mr. MacAlpine purchased Alexander Scott's painting of Diamond Head, which has been on exhibition at the promotion rooms. He paid \$1000 for it.

On April 24 Mrs. E. R. Stackable and daughter leave for the Coast to remain for an indefinite period. Mr. Stackable is also to go East shortly en route to the Azores on business.

During the stay in port of the Siberia, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hayselden entertained Mr. Hatfield and Mr. Bidwell of Shanghai.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. Waterman on Friday.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Jeffreys to Miss Grace Elizabeth Jeffreys.

WOMEN GROWING TALLER.

The latest statistics relating to the human frame show that the average height of the American woman has increased one inch in the last decade, while the man has not gained a fraction of an inch; in fact, he has lost a fraction. There is food for thought in these figures, yet it will not do to get hysterical about them as some sensational newspapers have done. There is no reason to aver that the future woman will be a giantess and her consort a pigmy. Rather the deduction may be made that the woman is gradually losing her frailness and is approaching somewhat the virile strength and stature of the man. This is hailed as a consummation devoutly to be wished, because it will make for a future strong and vigorous race.

A century ago the woman of slight frame, petite and short, was the normal type. A large woman was looked upon as abnormal and masculine. In the last two decades woman has come into her own. She has won recognition from educationalists; she has left the fireside for the shop, store, and office, thus competing actively with men in the arduous cares of daily business; she has been forced to de-

velop her frame and strength because of this active competition. We see in the result of this so-called emancipation of women a larger, stronger and braver woman.

The normal woman a decade ago was five feet and five inches tall; she has added an inch, and probably will add another in another decade or generation. Then she will arrive at the average man's height. The craze for athletics on the part of boys and girls will tend to enlarge the frame, even if it does restrict the amount of knowledge. The frame of the girl is even more susceptible to the enlarging influence of exercise than that of the boy, by reason of centuries of repression.—Leslie's Weekly.

MADAME LA PRESIDENTE.

While the wife of the President of France has no official or legal standing, any more than has the wife of the President of the United States, yet she has an important place in official society. The consort of President Fallieres is eminently fitted to grace the position of mistress of the Elysee. At the time her distinguished husband married her she was his superior in class, distinction. As the member of the family celebrated in the legal profession, Madame Fallieres



Mme. Fallieres.

was an important 'catch' in the ancient town of Nerac, and her husband not only came into possession of a goodly dot, but succeeded to an excellent legal practice, which was the basis of his present fortune. She has mingled with the aristocracy all her life and has many friends among the nobility. It is fair to presume that the Elysee will now become a social centre not equaled since the days of Carnot. The new President's wife is well qualified to uphold the honor and dignity of his position, whether she is called upon to entertain a queen or a plebeian. When the French constitution was drawn up the Empress Eugenie was unpopular with the Republicans, and they were determined that the ruler should not come under petticoat government. There is a possibility that Madame la Presidente will have the official title that goes with her position, because it has been found that on many occasions the wife of the ruler has been embarrassed when questions of social precedence have arisen.—Leslie's Weekly.

WOMAN'S TITLES IN FRANCE AND GERMANY.

Frenchwomen still feel the lingering weight of the Code Napoleon, though they are by no means passive under its oppression. The country that produced Madame Roland and Madame de Staël could never lack women of spirit or brains. But, as in all the older countries, tradition and convention are powerful and hard to break. The French girl is still chaperoned almost as closely as if the independence of woman was an unthought-of dream. A novel protest of Frenchwomen is against the use of titles defining the marital status of their sex. They are abandoning 'Mademoiselle' and calling all grown women 'Madame,' as all adult men are called 'Monsieur.' In Germany, women are taking two steps toward straightening out their courtship titles. There it has always been customary to designate the wife of a professor, doctor, or other dignitary, as Frau Professor, Frau Doctor, etc.

Of late years genuine Frau Professors and Doctors, women who have gained honors, not merely married them, have become so numerous that there has been confusion. The advanced German women are now declaring against borrowed titles and in favor of the abolition of 'Fraulein.'

In sturdy little Iceland, where the women are very much alive and quite in the current of progress, they are giving up not only all titles, but surnames as well, and are going back to unadorned first names.

In Italy, Spain, and Portugal the upward movement of women has come mainly from the masses, not, as in Russia, from the aristocrats, or, as among the English-speaking races, from the middle classes.

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LANDS OF EMANCIPATION.

In the Pacific Ocean, far beyond China and Japan, lie the only two countries in the world which fully acknowledge the equality of men and women by giving political rights to all citizens of twenty-one, regardless of sex. They are New Zealand and Australia.

New Zealand was the first by a dozen years to put her daughters on an equality with her sons. It was in 1867 that the cry was raised, "Shall our mothers, wives, and sisters be our equals or our subjects?"

The answer was given in 1893 by the full enfranchisement of women. In Australia the change came more gradually, province by province. But a few months ago the final concession was made and now Australian women, like their sisters of New Zealand, are the equals and not the subjects of their husbands, brothers and sons.

More conservative than England's colonies of the Southern Seas is her great Northern possession, Canada. There widows and spinsters are held in high favor, for full municipal suffrage belongs to them. But the married woman is barred out. This is probably a survival of the subordination of the wife; but the Canadian woman is asking whether the acceptance of a husband should be considered unfailing proof of her inferior judgement.

THE FIRST SOCIETY NEWSPAPER.

In these days of many society papers it is interesting to recall the genesis of the first one of the race which was produced in France in the beginning of the eighteenth century.

It was called *Nouvelles a la Main* or *Hand to Hand* news in those days and the inventor was a lady named Mme. Doublet. Mme. Doublet received all the best society of Paris and both she and her guests loved scandal. To cater for their taste a book was kept into which every visitor wrote what he or she had picked up in the way of news and gossip since his or her last visit and these news items were afterward copied on to sheets of white paper and taken round to the houses of those of Mme. Doublet's friends who had not called that day. Eventually the thing developed into a commercial enterprise and the *Hand to Hand* News was sold to all who wanted it for six francs monthly or a pound a year. But a pound in those days was, it must be remembered, worth a good deal more than it is now.

In 1758, when Mme. Doublet was quite an old lady, an attempt was made to stop the circulation of her *Nouvelles a la Main*. But they had gained so great a hold upon the public taste that the police were powerless to do so.—Paris correspondence.



OUR PREHISTORIC PARENTS.

"There's no use talking—since I made that eighteen holes in forty strokes the females of the Cavewill Golf Club are wild over me."